

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Eric PINET, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 6476
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Application No.: 10/539,771	:	Group Art Unit: 1797
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Filed: January 10, 2006	:	Examiner: Samuel P. Siefke
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For: METHOD AND SENSOR FOR DETECTING A CHEMICAL SUBSTANCE USING AN OPTICALLY ANISOTROPIC MATERIAL		

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated January 21, 2010, now due to expire April 21, 2010, be extended for three month(s) and set to expire on July 21, 2010.

Please charge the extension fee of \$555.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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